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## Golf Club Plans Further Work On Fairway Extensions

The 1951 slate of officers was returned to office at the re-organization meeting of the Didsbury Golf Club Friday evening, April 25. The executive will again consist of Bert Prevost, president; Sam Krueger, 1st vice-president; Bob Eubank, 2nd vice-president and George Law, secretary-treasurer.

Members were appointed to condition and maintain the greens and the committees for each are as follows:

Green 1. Dr. McNeil and Dr. McNeil.

Green 2. H. Halliday and S. Krueger.

Green 3. A. Engwer and C. Gould.

Green 4. J. Freeman and Bert Prevost.

Green 5. G. Law and R. Eubank.

Green 6. E. Watkins and J. Wordie.

Green 7. A. Reiter and W. Skerry.

Green 8. J. Holch and P. Evans.

Green 9. L. Berscht, G. Thring and C. Sorenson.

Dues were again set at \$12.50 per family, \$10.00 for men, \$5.00 for ladies and \$2.50 for students. Dues are payable to Mr. George Law by June 1st.

Extension of fairways was discussed and ploughing and harrowing of extensions will be undertaken this year. Seeding to grass will be done as soon as this work is completed.

Dr. C. T. McNeil and C. Sorenson were appointed as tournament committee and will arrange competitions for the coming year. The handicapper committee will consist of Fred Evans and Wilf Skerry. Scores on three rounds should be turned in as soon as possible so that handicaps may be set for future tournaments.

## Fishing Season Opens Thursday, May 1st

The fishing season for trout and rocky mountain whitefish opens in the area north of Calgary on Thursday, May 1st, and while the streams are clearing west of Didsbury, the roads are almost impassable and only the natives are likely to be fishing the favorite out-of-the-way places on the opening day.

Local sporting goods dealers now have fishing licenses for sale, and displays of fishing tackle are appearing to mark the opening of the season.

For the benefit of fishermen the following regulations are given:

For the Red Deer River and its tributaries and the North Saskatchewan river and its tributaries, the season will be open from May 1 to Sept. 30 inclusive. The open season for the Athabasca river and its tributaries is from June 1 to Oct. 15. With the exception of the McLeod river and its tributaries, the season in the southern part of the province will be open for the entire year.

The open season for angling for lake trout, in lakes frequented by such trout, will be from May 16 to Sept. 15.

Season will be open for the entire year for pike, pickerel, perch and goldeye. At the same time, it is unlawful to fish for pike, pickerel, perch or goldeye in waters frequented by trout, grayling or Rocky Mountain whitefish except during the open season for the latter species.

### Per Day Catch Limits

Trout, Grayling and Rocky Mountain Whitefish: 15 fish of one species only or 15 fish in the aggregate; subject to a catch limit of 20 pounds of trout.

Lake Trout: 10 fish only.

Pike and Pickerel: 15 fish of one species only or 15 fish in the aggregate.

### DIDSBURY HOSPITAL BIRTHS

Born at the Didsbury hospital to Mr. and Mrs. W. Pyren of Sundre on Wednesday, April 23, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ross McCoy of Belloy, Alta., on Thursday, April 24, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burgess on Saturday, April 26, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Leo Auger on Sunday, April 27, a boy.

### C.P.R. TRAIN TIMES AT DIDSBURY

#### NORTHBOUND:

No. 521—flag stop 1:10 a.m. daily

No. 523—Daily except Sunday, 11:32 a.m.

No. 525—Daily at 6:21 p.m.

No. 527—Daily except Sunday, 10:00 a.m. (stops only on flag on Sundays)

#### SOUTHBOUND:

No. 522—Daily 4:46 a.m.

No. 524—Daily 12:46 p.m.

No. 526—Daily except Sunday, at 5:00 p.m.

No. 528—Daily 6:21 p.m. (stops on flag on Sundays only).

## Farewell Party For Springside Residents

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chamberlain were guests of honor at a farewell party last Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bodney when their many neighbors and friends of Springside and surrounding district gathered to wish them luck prior to leaving for the coast.

On behalf of their many friends Mr. Verne Wigglesworth presented a couple with a purse of money and wished them luck in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain are old timers of the Springside district, the former having arrived to homestead at the turn of the century. The couple farmed in the district until Mr. Chamberlain's ill health forced them to retire.

They intend to spend the summer at Victoria, B.C., and residents of Springside hope the change in climate will do them no much good that they will come back to the district again, at least for part of the year.

### TENNIS CLUB MEETING

A general reorganization meeting of the Didsbury Community Tennis Club will be held Thursday evening, May 1st at 8 p.m. in Reiter Brothers' office. All those interested in tennis are requested to attend.

## WEST NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. O. Thompson were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hogg on Sunday, April 20.

Quite a number of the Rugby W.I. members attended the Constituency Conference held in Olds April 21 and 22. Mrs. Glen Ray was the official delegate and Mrs. Hoesgood St. went up on the Sunday and returned home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Gibbs, the Constituency Convener for this district, was unable to attend because of illness and her place was taken by Mrs. A. Walldorf of the Zella W.I.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Luft were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. P. Luft on Sunday.

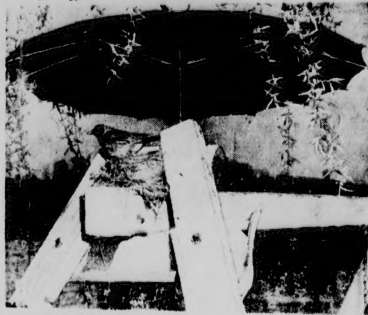
Mr. J. Bagshaw is still a patient in the Didsbury hospital and we hope he will soon be out and about. Residents of the district who knew Mr. Robert Blair were distressed to hear recently of his serious accident at Lofino, B.C., when he suffered the loss of his right hand in an accident connected with road machinery.

Threshing has been completed in this district. There wasn't much to do because of hail last year and mice during the winter. Many are now busy getting ready for another crop with the hope of better returns this year. Probably the first to do any seeding was Arnold Hogg when he seeded out on summer fallow last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Thompson of Red Deer were weekend visitors at the donor's home. Mr. Byers Thompson is also home from University and will leave for Banff on Wednesday where he will again be employed in the same drug store as in former summers. Mrs. Buck, his grandmother, will accompany him and keep house for him during the summer months.

Mrs. L. Parker had her sister from Calgary visiting with her last week. Among those visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kovitz over the weekend of April 20th were Mr. and Mrs. Vic Brown and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Neufeld, all of Calgary.

## Singing in the Rain



A song-meeting atop a snow standard in a Lonsdale, B.C., yard looked so wet and miserable that Joseph Fallon decided to do something about it. To keep off the rain, he fastened an umbrella over the bird and her nest. Mrs. Fallon now gratefully sings in the rain as she awaits the hatching of her four eggs.

## LITTLE ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Attention, boys 18 years and under! If you are interested in playing ball register with Len Berscht or Jay Tuggle. First practice this Friday evening at 6:30 p.m. at the ball diamond.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Neave, Wendy and Janet, left Monday morning to make their home at Chilliwack, B.C. Wendy is staying with the Reid Clarke family for a few weeks to complete her Grade X.

Don Brumwell left Tuesday for Seattle for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Snyder and family returned Monday from a two-week holiday at Kingston, Ontario, where they visited with Mrs. Snyder's brother. They returned to Didsbury via the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kupp and Betty, Marilyn and Reg. Ness, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Scheidt, Adrienne and Walter, returned to town Sunday evening and were the guests of Mrs. Claude Webb and family. The occasion being a birthday party for Claude Jr. Betty and Adrienne were very enjoyable evening was spent and a delicious lunch was served by the hostess and her daughters.

John Worthington, L.H.C. agent at Champion, was in Didsbury last week to make arrangements for the moving of his family to Champion.

The Ernie Good farm home was destroyed by fire about noon on Tuesday, April 29, and house and contents were said to be a total loss. Cause of the fire could not be determined at press time.

The sixth annual banquet for the graduation class of Didsbury High School students, sponsored by the Students' Union, will be held on Friday, May 2nd.

Students graduating from Didsbury High School this year are Mona Stevens, Delores Haderer, Pat Leavens, Carol Leavens, Gwen Clarke, Emille Dupont, David Anderson, John Kline, Geraldine Ford, Shirley Rennie, Cameron Wordie, Don Burgess, Roy Corliss, Gordon McNaughton and Laverne Newfield.

Even if we could produce enough with only a fraction of our population on the land there would be grave disadvantages. It is not a good thing for any nation to have all its people packed into cities and certainly not safe in these uncertain times.

If we pay to watch carefully the movement of population from the country, some of it is natural and inevitable. Some of it may be actually beneficial. But we would be short-sighted if we pretended that it would not matter that it could go on indefinitely without sapping our national strength.—Ex.

## Canadians Visit Truman



President TRUMAN talks with HON. LESTER B. PEARSON, Minister for External Affairs, as a group of Canadians reached Washington early to discuss the proposed St. Lawrence seaway and power projects. Left to right, standing, are DEAN ACHESON, U.S. Secretary of State; HON. LIONEL CHEVREUIL, Minister of Transport; HON. WILFRED G. DEMPSEY, U.S. Ambassador to the U.S.; STANLEY WOOD, U.S. Ambassador to Canada; and DAVID BRUCE, U.S. Undersecretary of State.

## Town Council Sets Tax Rate At 48 Mills

The main business of the town council at its regular meeting on Monday, April 21, was the adoption of estimates for the year and the setting of a corresponding mill rate to provide the necessary funds for the year's operation.

To finance the town, schools and hospital in 1952 will require a sum of \$84,685.00 and on an approximate assessment of \$1,760,000 the tax rate was set at 48 mills, apportioned as follows:

Municipal ..... 15 mills  
School ..... 26 1/2 mills  
Hospital ..... 6 1/2 mills

This is an increase of three mills over last year and the same tax rate as in 1950. Building permits were granted to E. W. Linnhart to erect a dwelling on the lot east of the A. Gole residence, and to L. Burgess to erect a warehouse and office for Calgary Power Limited on one of his lots in the south part of town.

## Deficit In Unsatisfied Judgment Fund

A deficit of more than \$33,000 on the operations of the Unsatisfied Judgment Fund from April 1 to March 31, 1952, has reduced the fund to \$34,722. On April 1, 1951, the fund totalled \$78,847.

During 1951-52, Alberta motorists paid \$252,898 into the fund while \$29,907 was recovered from previous judgments. Total disbursements were \$308,478, including \$37,672 for hospital and medical expenses paid, \$205,607 for judgments and costs paid and \$65,196 for miscellaneous payments.

The Unsatisfied Judgment Fund is financed by a \$1 a year levy on each motor vehicle registered. The fund is used to compensate persons who have been injured in highway accidents but have not been able to receive the damages awarded them by the courts.

### CRIBBAGE WINNERS

Following the regular meeting of the Didsbury branch of the Canadian Legion B.E.S.L. and the Ladies Auxiliary on Thursday evening, April 24, the finals in the cribbage tournament were played and the following winners were declared:

1st, Mr. and Mrs. C. Alden.  
2nd, Mr. and Mrs. S. Wilkins.  
Consolation, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robertson.

## New Alberta Highways To Be Built Wider

Highways Minister Taylor recently told the Alberta Legislature how the province distributes its road grants to local governments, the improvement districts and special areas and municipal districts.

The five factors used in determining the grants to each are: the population, the assessed acreage, the total assessment, the number of miles of main highways in the district and the topography of the land.

Mr. Taylor said this formula, drawn up by engineers, is used in an attempt to be fair to all.

The only strings attached to the grants made on the basis of 75 per cent contribution by the province and 25 per cent by the district, were that the district must use at least 40 per cent on district roads and it could use 10 per cent on maintenance of district highways.

This system of grants which allows the rest of the grant to be used on local roads has resulted in great improvement in the roads in improvement districts, special areas and municipal districts.

The minister said the day is rapidly approaching when it will be necessary to build district highways wider than the 24 foot strips now in use. The 66-foot road allowance wasn't wide enough. This would mean wider allowances but all local governments were not yet ready to obtain wider allowances.

The only specifications made by the government with its grants concerned height and width. There were no specifications regarding gravel. But the work was inspected to see that it comes up to a "reasonable standard." Engineers conferred with and advised the local governments but hadn't the final decision.

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## ALBERTA WHEAT POOL STARTS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Further support from the Alberta Wheat Pool towards the education and training of young people in Alberta has been announced by Honorable D. A. Ure, Minister of Agriculture. The Alberta Wheat Pool has established six scholarships to be known as the Henry Wise Wood Memorial Scholarships. These will be awarded annually to three boys and three girls in junior club projects sponsored by the Alberta Wheat Pool.

The scholarships will be valued at \$75.00 each and will be used by the boys and girls to whom they are awarded to assist in defraying the expenses of one boy and one girl at each of the three Schools of Agriculture.

culture and Home Economics at Olds, Vermilion and Fairview. The scholarships will be awarded to boys and girls entering the School of Agriculture and Home Economics in the first year of the two-year course in Agriculture and Home Economics. The basis of award will be academic achievement, proficiency in club work and potential leadership ability.

Full information regarding these scholarships and application forms will be available from District Agriculturalists and District Home Economists. All applications must be filed with the Supervisor of Junior Activities, Alberta Department of Agriculture, Edmonton, before August fifteenth each year.

In making this announcement Mr. Ure thanked the Board of the Alberta Wheat Pool for its generous gesture and commended the organization for taking this means of perpetuating the memory of the late Henry Wise Wood, who for many years provided inspired leadership to the farm movement in Alberta.

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## CARD OF THANKS

The 1st Didsbury Troop Boy Scouts wish to thank those who donated articles for the rummage sale on Saturday. Also Mr. Raymond Shantz for auctioneering, and Mr. George Thring for assistance in organizing the sale. ne

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Dr. McKenzie, the nurses and staff of the hospital for care and kindness shown to me while I was a patient in the hospital. Also all my friends who visited me, and especially those who sent flowers, cards, etc. ne

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## MOUNTAIN VIEW HEALTH

Clincs will be held at the following points in this District during May 1952:

May 27: Carstairs: United Church hall, May 27.

May 28: Cremona: School, May 6.

Crossfield: United Church Hall, May 1st.

Didsbury: Health Unit Office, May 8 and 22.

Olds: Agricultural School, May 9 and 23.

Sundre: W. I. Library, May 13.

Water Valley: Community Hall, May 12.

ALL CLINICS 2 TO 4 P.M.

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4th Sunday in the Month: 3:30 p.m. Harmanat.

5th Sunday in the Month: 3:30 p.m. Harmanat.

Services to be announced.

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10:45 a.m.: Sunday School.

11:45 a.m.: Worship Service.

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**WE EXPRESS APPRECIATION**

This is the last issue of the "Didsbury Pioneer" to be published by the present editor, the business having been sold to Mr. James Currie who assumes control on May 1st.

To the subscribers, advertisers and correspondents we take this final opportunity to extend our appreciation for their valuable support and services rendered. Our country correspondents and the press correspondents of various organizations in particular have been very helpful during the past seven and a half years in keeping the home town paper supplied with the news of town and district, and it is to be hoped that the new publisher will be favored with this news support.

In vacating the editorial chair we do so, not because of choice, but due to lack of the necessary stamina to carry on a more than full-time job.

So in saying farewell to readers and friends in a business capacity we again express appreciation for past favors, and hope the same may be extended to our successor.

E.J. ROULEAU

**ALBERTA MAY YET LOSE THE RACE**

Misconceptions arising out of the first news reports on the gas export report and government policy are now being clarified.

There were two inadequacies in the report, in the opinion of those who believe maximum development of the gas industry, which can only be done through export, would be good for the province. One is the restriction on the amount that might be taken out of the Peace River district, and the other the failure to provide for development of the Pincher Creek field.

Mr. Tanner has cleared up the misconceptions on the latter. The impression had got around that that field was "frozen" for 16 years when it would be partially thawed out for local use. But that isn't so. Further gas discoveries in the south would change the picture overnight, and Pincher Creek could then be declared surplus and thus eligible for export. The minister made it clear that Pincher Creek was suited only for export. The big plants necessary for the extraction and processing of by-products could only be financed on the basis of maximum operation, and only the export market could absorb maximum production.

The Peace River export permit might have been worded backwards. It authorized the export of 210 billion feet over a five-year period, and made no provision for future discoveries. It might have been better if a specific minimum were reserved and everything over that made eligible for export. Because of the fact that only 42 billion feet a year may leave the province, Texas interests are arguing in the Pacific Northwest that Alberta isn't prepared to serve that market and they will try to freeze out the Alberta export proposition.

The time factor is perhaps the greatest hazard facing Alberta gas development. As pointed out by Carl Nickle, M.P., in a recent radio broadcast, new gas fields are being found to the east, west and south of Alberta, and vast new reserves are being proved up in Texas and mid-continent fields. Now that Alberta has emerged into an era of gas abundance, stiff competition has developed for the available markets. And there's this about a gas market: that once it's lost it's lost for good. Getting there first is all that counts. Alberta may soon wake up to find that someone else has got there first, and then it will be too late. We'll sit here with our gas, like we're sitting here with our coal, and sit and sit and sit.—Calgary Albertan.

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May 29th, 9:00 a.m.: Aberdeen Angus Sale (Over 200 Head)  
June 6th, 9:00 a.m.: Judging and Sale of Herefords (Over 400)  
June 7th, 9:00 a.m.: Sale of Herefords (continued)

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**TEACHERS STAND FIRM**

Alberta teachers who take strike action will be backed by their provincial organization and receive up to 75 percent of their salaries out of a special emergency fund.

The Alberta Teachers' Association, at the closing sessions of a three-day meeting in the Palliser Hotel last Wednesday, endorsed strike action on the part of member locals by setting up the special fund out of which payments will be made to strikers.

About \$77,000 should be available immediately for the fund, stated Eric C. Anskey, general secretary, and this will be supplemented by contributions of \$1 a week from each teacher while a strike is in progress or as long as the executive committee desires.

The fund was set up because of a threatened strike by Stettler local, which refused the award of an arbitration board.

Members of the Stettler local voted in favor of taking strike action in a government ballot, but did not decide to call a strike since it was not known whether the A.T.A. would lend support.

It is now up to the Stettler local to make the final decision.

Hon. Ivan Casey, provincial Minister of Education, later warned that if teachers' disputes cannot be settled amicably, the alternative would be the setting up of a provincial board whose decisions would be binding.

**1951 A BIG FARM YEAR**

Despite weather troubles in western Canada last fall it now appears that Canadian farmers had one of their best years. Cash income for 1951, reports The Financial Post, is 27% higher than the year before, 14% above previous all-time high in 1948. Total last year was \$2.5 billions. Strong world grain demand, markets in U.S. for cattle high domestic demand are reasons. All provinces gained.

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**WHY NOT PAINT A CLEAR PICTURE?**

There is a group of people who are trying to confuse the rural electrification picture in Alberta. They are undoubtedly sincere in their desire to make the utility a publicly owned affair. They use comparisons between Alberta and Manitoba and between Alberta and Saskatchewan to ensnare the Alberta farmers under their wing. It is true that Manitoba builds the lines direct to the farm to be served and that there are 27,000 farms already electrified in Manitoba. It is also true that the Manitoba Power Commission owes the Provincial Government the sum of \$35,000,000 with an addition of \$10,000,000 under authorization and not yet expended. This part of the story is never mentioned from the public platform. And another thing, Manitoba has had a surplus of power since 1910 and has been in the rural electrification picture for twenty years.

Likewise, the Saskatchewan Power Commission owes the Saskatchewan Provincial Government over \$1,000,000. This province has made no bones of its inability to construct free rural lines to farm premises. Saskatchewan is not so fortunately situated as either Manitoba or Alberta in the matter of power resources. She has few hydro potentials near to present centres of population. Should Alberta decide to make power a publicly owned utility at the present time, the Province would be required to assume an additional bonded indebtedness of \$100,000,000.

As far as rates go at the present time, Alberta customers enjoy rates as low as Manitoba and lower than Saskatchewan and are not carrying any of the bonded indebtedness as an interest charge against the utility. Another interesting feature of the argument is that Manitoba's 27,000 rural installations are confined within a geographical area of less than one-third the area of Alberta from the Edmonton district south to the international border, eliminating the Peace River area entirely.—Camrose Canadian.

**LAKE SHIPPING**

On Thursday, April 3rd a grain carrier, Scott Misenor, docked at Port Arthur to load the first cargo of grain of the season. It is anticipated that grain shipping will be heavy from Port William-Port Arthur, as nearly 71 million bushels are in store in elevators there. Furthermore, another 11 million bushels are in railway cars waiting unloading into the terminals.

**CHURCHILL SAVINGS**

On wheat exported through the Port of Churchill, on Hudson Bay, during the 1950-51 crop year the Wheat Board received an average premium of 4.96 cents a bushel on wheat sold under the International Wheat Agreement and 3.05 cents a bushel on class 2 wheat, over the Port William-Port Arthur price. The board made a savings of \$52,317.22 on freight and on grain exported through this port but paid \$139,560.91 in diversion premiums. This information was given in the house of commons by Rt. Hon. C.D. Howe.



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A survey recently made in Alberta shows the unthreshed grain to be as follows:—Wheat, 34,630,000 bushels; oats, 11,999,000; barley, 8,380,000 bushels.

These figures show that harvest has progressed a great deal further than was originally estimated. A couple of months ago it was calculated that there was 50 million bushels of unthreshed wheat in Alberta and 71.4 million bushels of unthreshed oats and barley. The most backward region in Alberta, insofar as unharvested grain is concerned, is in an area running from 60 miles north of Calgary to the United States border and extending eastward from the foothills on the average of 30 miles.

A recent survey of the Saskatchewan situation is not on hand. Some time ago it was estimated that 88 million bushels of wheat had still to be harvested in that province and 56 million bushels of oats and barley. The unthreshed acreage was placed at 5.5 million acres, of which 4 million were wheat. Saskatchewan's 1951 wheat crop is estimated at 329 million bushels.

— Wheat Pool Budget

CALGARY CHANGES A.M.A.  
PARKING LOT RULES

After May 1, no stalls will be reserved in the parking lot operated by the Calgary Branch of the Alberta Motor Association.

A new schedule of charges will also be put into operation, namely 10c for the first two hours and 15c for each additional hour.

It should be understood that this parking lot is owned by the Canadian Pacific Railway. In the original agreement with the Canadian Pacific Railway, the Calgary branch undertook to provide parking facilities for guests of the Fair Hotel.

Due to the parking problem in the downtown area, the Canadian Pacific Railway has asked that 60 stalls be reserved for guests at the hotel. This will leave only 100 stalls available to the membership, namely 10c for the first two hours and 15c for each additional hour.

At a recent meeting of the directors of the Calgary branch, it was agreed that with only 100 stalls available, it would be utterly impractical to provide reserved stalls to any of the members. Any member who has prepaid rental on a reserved stall will receive reimbursement for the unexpired period.

The operation of this parking lot has provided a difficult problem for the association in the past few years. With the reduction in the number of stalls after May 1, the problem will be more serious. Rather than give up the parking lot completely, the directors intend to give the new plan a good trial.

**TREES ARE DOOMED?**  
A great deal of Canada, even in those sections where trees grow quickly, easily and naturally, will soon be stripped bare of trees. There will be nothing to break the monotony of rows of buildings, telephone or power poles.

In Europe there are several laws about cutting trees. In some cases two new trees must be planted for every one removed. In these older and much more thickly populated countries there are far more trees in the cities and along the highways than in Canada and in farm country, and woodlots are more numerous and larger.

It takes from fifty to one hundred years to grow a tree in Canada. It takes from five minutes to ten minutes to cut it down. We're going to have to do a lot more planting and a lot less cutting if we hope to retain a proper balance.

## MORE THAN STEEL IN CARS

There's more than steel, rubber and textiles in the modern automobile. There's a lot of taxes too. Excise and sales taxes combined amount to 35 percent of the whole-sale cost of the average car or \$225 per vehicle. And that is only part of the story. Other taxes include company income taxes, municipal taxes and customs duties add another \$225, of a total of not less than \$750. Fifteen years ago one could have purchased a brand-new car in the same range for only a couple of hundred more.

Whoever it was that actually invented the automobile opened the way to one of the greatest tax collecting discoveries the world has ever known.

THE INQUITOUS WHEAT PRICE  
By H.G.L. STRANGE

Ever since the British-Canadian Wheat Agreement went into effect years ago followed by the International Wheat Agreement, the Government took the British-Canadian wheat price and applied these to the domestic price of wheat. There does not seem to be any good reason for doing this for domestic prices are not mentioned in either of these agreements. The result has been that the most serious loss of several hundred million dollars have been inflicted on our prairie farmers from this low domestic price alone. This is a matter which most certainly should be rectified. Even though it may be necessary for the people of Canada to give cheap wheat to overseas countries, there is no reason why our prairie farmers should be obliged to subsidize the comparatively well-off people of Canada with wheat at far less than the proper market price, particularly when it is remembered that our farmers pay the full market price for everything they buy from other Canadian citizens and industries.

This is an illustration of how, as Mr. Aaron Sapir recently reminded us, Governments use the power given them to fix prices for political purposes. In the U.S.A., in spite of the International Wheat Agreement the people pay, and farmers receive, the full open market prices for their wheat.

## A FATHER'S PRAYER

(By General Douglas MacArthur)  
Build me a son, O Lord, who will be strong enough to know when he is weak, and brave enough to face himself when he is afraid; one who will be proud and unbending in honest defeat, and humble and gentle in victory.

Build me a son whose wishbone should be a son who will know Thee—and that to know himself is the foundation stone of knowledge. Lead him, I pray, not in the path of ease and comfort, but under the stress and spur of difficulties and challenge. Here let him learn to stand up in the storm; here let him learn compassion for those who fail.

Build me a son whose heart will be clear, whose goal will be high; a son who will master himself before he seeks to master other men; one who will learn to laugh, yet never forget the past.

And after all these things are his, add, I pray, enough of a sense of humour, so that he may always be serious, yet never take himself too seriously. Give him humility, so that he may always remember the simplicity of true greatness, the open mind of true wisdom, the meekness of true strength.

Then, I, his father, will dare to whisper, "I have not lived in vain."  
— The Young Soldier

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Before sending in your 1951-52 insurance books, make note of the date to which stamps are affixed, so as to avoid duplication in the new books.

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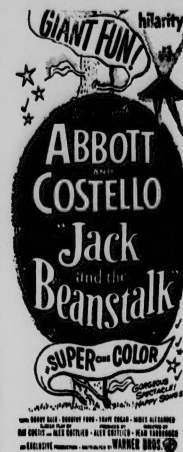
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**-DISTRICT NEWS-****FALLEN TIMBER**

Most of the people of this community have had the flu, but we are glad to report everyone seems to be on the mend.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. W. Eytan on the birth of a daughter. We are glad to hear that Mrs. M. McMullen Sr. is home from the hospital where she was confined with the flu.

A tea was held at the home of Mrs. Stair recently with eight ladies present. A lovely lunch was served by the hostess.

Marilyn Stair spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCaffin last week.

Mr. B. Moncey has been threshing out at the Harold Russell farm.

Howard Roberts spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Teynor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dick were Didsbury visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Wamnamaker was the hostess at a shower held in the school Saturday evening for Miss Clea Parkhurst and Mr. Glenn Cooper who are to be married May 30th.

The guests of honor received many lovely and useful gifts, for which they thanked everyone most fittingly. The evening was brought to a close by everyone joining in the singing of "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows."

**ZELLA NEWS NOTES**

Raymond Dube was taken to Calgary on Tuesday where he is receiving treatments on his eye. A splinter of stone entered it and it is hoped that the eye can be remedied without removal.

Mrs. C. Gibbs has been a patient in the Didsbury hospital with a relapse of the flu.

Ed Harrier, stationed with the RCAF at Edmonton, spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harrier.

Wilfred Spooner is a patient in the Colonel Belcher hospital, Calgary.

With the extremely fine weather of the past week, delayed harvesting operations are in full swing. Henry Luft has completed some of his spring seeding.

**South West Didsbury**

Mr. and Mrs. G. Weber and Donald, Mrs. E. Good and Nelda and Mrs. Cecil Weber and Douglas were Calgary visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Grenville White of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford White and Douglas of Wainwright and Mrs. D. B. Wood were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hunsperger and family.

Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Hunsperger were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jackson and family of Acme. Mr. Jack Edwards, who has been very ill and due to hospital being crowded stayed several days with Mr. and Mrs. L. Dickau, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Edwards and family of Calgary spent the week end with the J. Edwards family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Weber spent the past week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Benning Fischer and Lorraine. Mr. and Mrs. H. Fischer and Claire, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fischer and daughter, and Mrs. A. Cowitz Sr. They spent the weekend in Didsbury with Mr. and Mrs. W. Lockman.

Mr. and Mrs. Weber are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. Dippel Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Weber and Donald were Mr. and Mrs. E. Good and Nelda.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Weber and Douglas were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Stevens and Mona.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Eby and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Hunsperger.

Mrs. Dale Kimmel is confined to bed again after a relapse of flu and complications.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hipkin and Patsy and Mr. and Mrs. C.F. Stroud and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Dippel and Carole.

Mr. John Snyder of Redcliff was a Sunday visitor with Mr. and Mrs. E. Dippel and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Snyder were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Tuggle.

This correspondent would like to take this opportunity to extend a special "Thank you" to the Editor, Mr. E. Rouleau, for all favors shown during the time I have gathered correspondence for this dispatch.

Canadians produced almost a quarter of a million tons of fine paper last year; despite war and depression, the fine paper mills have set a new high in production at most every year over the past twenty.

Federal government spending this year, excluding defense spending, will be about \$2,400,000,000. Ottawa's total spending in 1939 was \$553 million.

**MOUNTAIN VIEW**

Mr. Eric Atkinson reported one of his range cows as having twin Hereford calves, a heifer and a bull with identical markings.

Mr. and Mrs. George Camps, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Camps and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunter and boys were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elliott and family.

Mrs. Julia Anderson of Bluffton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gebers. Her son was to graduate Monday evening from Mountain View Bible College.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Art Gebers and Mrs. Anderson visited in Calgary with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hansen and Mr. and Mrs. Gould and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Cullen and Bob visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. Worrall.

Mr. and Mrs. Grenville McCaig and Mrs. Fred Ott motored to Edmonton last Sunday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Boettger and family. Mrs. Ida Boettger returned with them to Olds.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCaig of Calgary were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Grenville McCaig, Anna and Florence.

Mrs. Thomas Finley returned to the farm on Saturday, her daughter, Mrs. Carl Nickle and Terry, bringing her out from Calgary.

Sympathy of the district is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McKay, their son-in-law Mr. Anderson, being found dead in a truck. He was working for an oil company.

**CREMONA NEWS**

Miss Cleo Parkhurst, bride-elect of May 9, was honored at a miscellaneous shower on Wednesday afternoon, April 23 at the home of Mrs. A. Stanton. Mrs. Betty Bouck assisted the hostess.

Miss Parkhurst received her numerous gifts, seated under mauve and blue streamers, and she was assisted in unwrapping her presents by her sister, Miss Audrey Parkhurst. During the afternoon games and contests were held and Mrs. McKay and Mrs. Ken Umbach were the winners.

An angel food cake, beautifully decorated by Mrs. T. Graham, adorned the bride's table and to close the pleasant afternoon a dainty lunch was served.

Congratulations to Mrs. W. Jackson who recently won four hundred chicks as second prize in the Stew. Art Electric Hatcheries contest.

Mr. Squire Jackson and Mr. John Stuart, both farmers of Cremona and now living in Calgary, spent a few days last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Jackson. Mr. Stuart was a Tuesday evening supper guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Waterstreet.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bergeson left recently to reside at Calgary where Lester is employed in the oil fields.

Mrs. T. Thompson is visiting for a week in Olds with Mrs. Stauffer. Miss Nancy Lee Thompson is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. Carlson at Hartmann.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dick of Fallen Timber were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Waterstreet.

The Canasta Club met this week at the home of Mrs. McQuarrie with Mrs. A. Letchever as hostess. Prizes were won by Mrs. Doug Fraser and Mrs. H. Pearce.

**BERGEN NOTES**

There was a good attendance at the April meeting of the Bergen Ladies' Aid, held at the home of Mrs. L. Conners. Following the business part of the meeting Mrs. Royal Cook distributed three canvasser's kits for the Cancer Fund drive, the first to be conducted in the district.

If you local residents wish to donate, see Mrs. D. O. Clarke, Mrs. Ed Erickson, Mrs. T. Haug, or Mrs. T. Thompson.

Bergen was the only school besides Sundre to take part in the Sundre Music Festival. Mrs. Stauf's pupils entered five numbers and received high praise from the adjudicator.

The school children cleaned the school yard on Friday and planted perennials in the long neglected flower beds.

The trees are bursting into leaf, early flowers are in bloom, and some farmers are on the land. It appears to be the earliest spring in some years and it is surely welcome.

We saw several Bergen farms advertised for sale in the Pioneer last week but not everyone wants to move away from home, because four families have recently moved in. Mr. and Mrs. Straub of McDougall Flats to the Chas. Erickson farm; Mr. and Mrs. Art Eggen to the Ball place; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Admussen are living on the quarter west of Walter's folks, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Laughlin have purchased Eddie Admussen's north quarter. The local population is definitely on the increase.

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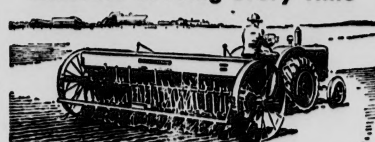
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LITTLE ITEMS OF  
LOCAL INTEREST

—“The Royal Journey,” the pictorial  
story of the Canadian tour of Queen  
Elizabeth and the Duke of Edin-  
burgh, will be shown in the Dids-  
bury Opera Theatre Thursday, Fri-  
day and Saturday, May 8, 9 and 10.  
This picture is produced by the Na-  
tional Film Board in glorious new  
color. 17-2c

Mrs. Ed Banton left Friday for  
Edmonton to visit with her daugh-  
ter for a few days.

Many of the University students  
are home from Edmonton for the  
holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Powell of Cal-  
gary spent the weekend visiting in  
the district with friends.

David Lamont of Calgary was a  
visitor in town on Sunday.

Mike Haener returned home Sat-  
urday following treatment at the  
Mayo Clinic in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Poxon of Drum-  
heller visited over the weekend in  
town with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bou-  
reau and David. Mr. Poxon went to  
Edmonton Monday to attend a  
meeting of the Board of Directors  
of Canadian Utilities Limited.

Royden Fisher returned home on  
Sunday after completing his term  
at the U. of A. and left Wednesday  
for Lethbridge where he will be em-  
ployed for the summer.

Fay Kromm of Bowness spent the  
weekend visiting with Agnes and  
Mary Goossen.

Judy Berscht returned from hospi-  
tal last Saturday following an  
adenoid operation.

—Eric Ratledge, Otometrist, asso-  
ciate of K. Roy McLean, announ-  
ces date of the next visit as Monday,  
May 12 morning only, at the Rose-  
bud Hotel. Consult in city office,  
1014 Greyhound Bldg., daily. 18-2c

—Dr. Burgess will be away from his  
office for a month and during his  
absence Dr. McKenzie will attend  
his patients. 1c

J. H. Cooper reported last week  
that in paddles were in bloom on their  
farm in the Elkton district on April  
19. The snow has gone in the bush  
country and the Fallen Timber river  
is clear and free of ice. Fishermen  
take note.

W. Moon has commenced drilling  
of the second well for the town  
water system and is making good  
progress. The well is south of the  
present well on the butte and when  
completed an automatic pump will  
be installed to work alternately  
with the old well.

Miss Roberta Kelly R.N. leaves  
this week to take up duties in Ed-  
monton. The vacancy on the local  
hospital staff will be filled by Miss  
Martha Bridgen R.N., graduate of  
the Holy Cross.

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A model of the old Town Hall  
clock tower of Preston, England,  
was a unique Canadian Pacific Ex-  
press shipment aboard the Empress  
of France when she docked at Saint  
John, N.B., last week. The model,  
which moved in the custody of  
Chief Beeson Stecken Williams  
Hartley (far right) and a native of

Preston, is now travelling through-  
out Canada and the United States,  
and is being displayed in the city  
halls of many of the major cities.  
With it is an illuminated scroll on  
which all ex-Prestonians are asked  
to sign their names. The clock  
tower, carved from the original  
timbers of the old structure which

was destroyed by fire in 1947, is a  
symbol of the Preston Guild cele-  
brations, which, with the exception  
of the war years, have been held  
every 20 years for the last 400  
years. They will be held in Preston  
on September 1 this year and the  
model of the tower carried on invi-  
tation to all Prestonians to attend.

## COMING EVENTS . .

—The regular meeting of the After-  
noon Group of Knox United Church  
W.A. will be held at the home of  
Mrs. E. Long on Tuesday, May 6,  
at 2:45 p.m.

—Everyone is welcome to attend  
a bridge and whist party to be  
held on Thursday, May 1, at 8:30  
p.m. in the Masonic banquet room.  
The event is sponsored by St. Hilda  
Chapter O.E.S. Special prizes. 17-2c

—The Knox United Church W.A.  
Groups will hold a Mother's Day  
Tea and Sale of Home Cooking in  
the church basement on Saturday,  
May 10. All Grandmothers will be  
especially honored. 2c

NEW ENGLAND BUYER  
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Fresh fruit and vegetables from  
Canada continued to win a large  
share of the New England market  
in 1951. This six-state area con-  
tains nine and one quarter million  
consumers who enjoy a high stan-  
dard of living and expect a large  
and varied supply of fresh fruits  
and vegetables in and out of sea-  
son. Local production cannot sup-  
ply this demand entirely and last  
year 45,662 cars and carlots equiva-  
lents of fresh fruits and vegetables  
arrived in Boston's wholesale pro-  
duce markets. Canada's share, ac-  
cording to a recent U.S. Department  
release was 1,327 railway carlots.  
Some 1,117 of these shipments  
from Canada came by rail, 153 by  
highway truck, and 27 by ship.  
Prince Edward Island led the pro-  
vinces, with 923 carlots; New  
Brunswick came second, with 317;  
British Columbia third, with 59 and  
Nova Scotia, with 27.

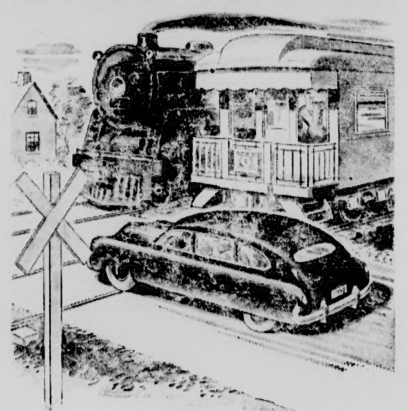
## ITS THE SPIRIT THAT COUNTS

A successful term was concluded  
at Alberta's Schools of Agriculture  
and Home Economics on Wednes-  
day, April 30, when closing exer-  
cises, a banquet and dance were  
held at Vermilion, Olds and Fair-  
view. From Olds and Vermilion,  
where tradition is firmly estab-  
lished, another class of graduates left  
to assume responsibilities for which  
their training has fitted them.

This was the first term at Fair-  
view, and a memorable one it has  
proved. Fifty-one young people  
arrived last fall to take up residence  
and further their knowledge in a  
set of modern high school buildings  
that in themselves arise inspiration.  
Fine buildings and modern facili-  
ties do not make a school, however.  
A visit to Fairview on the last day  
of the term showed a spirit of co-  
operation everywhere evident. A  
competent and sympathetic staff  
and an enthusiastic group of stu-  
dents have during the past winter  
laid the foundation of a tradition  
that will grow with the years. “See  
you again next year” was heard on  
every side as students departed in  
groups for their homes.

J.E. Hawker, Principal of the Fair-  
view School of Agriculture, has rea-  
son to be proud of his charge. Stu-  
dent initiative and staff encourage-  
ment have been notable features of  
this first term, but both students  
and staff are fully aware of the in-  
fluence and ability of their popular  
principal.

It is no isolated community, this  
School of Agriculture at Fairview.  
Proud as are students and staff of  
their accomplishments during their  
first term, they will also seek to  
get the vision that made their pres-  
ence here possible. The school at  
Fairview will long remain a tribute  
to men and women who recognize  
a need, and continued their efforts  
until their objective had been at-  
tained. The Fairview School of Ag-  
riculture is definitely “our school”  
to the people of the Peace River  
Area.

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